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C4 Fig. 34 [SEQ ID NOS: 134-135] shows the full-length amino acid sequence and the sequence of cDNA coding for the full coding region of human ligand polypeptide.

Kindly amend the paragraph starting on page 21, line 5, as follows:

C5 Fig. 35 [SEQ ID NOS: 136-138] shows a comparison of the amino acid sequences in the translation region of bovine ligand polypeptide, rat ligand polypeptide, and human ligand polypeptide. .

Kindly amend the paragraph starting on page 21, line 5, as follows:

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C7 (NE) Fig. 52 [SEQ ID NOS: 139-140] shows the sequence of cDNA coding for UHR-1, which is constructed on pAKKO-UHR1-7.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend claims 21-27 as follows:

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21. (amended) An isolated labeled polypeptide which comprises an amino acid sequence represented by SEQ ID NO:73 or its amide or ester, or a salt thereof.
 22. (amended) The isolated labeled polypeptide or its amide or ester, or a salt thereof, as claimed in claim 21, which is labeled with [^3H], [^{125}I], [^{14}C] or [^{35}S].
 23. (amended) The isolated labeled polypeptide or its amide or ester, or a salt thereof, as claimed in claim 21, which is labeled with [^{125}I].
 24. (amended) The isolated labeled polypeptide as claimed in claim 21, which comprises the amino acid sequence represented by SEQ ID NO:3, SEQ ID NO:4, SEQ ID NO:5,